

Ledding Library News

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NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2019

Library to Close December 9

At last! We will be closing the Pod Palace, our temporary home for the past year, to move back to 10660 SE 21st Ave. The last day to pick up holds/return/check out at our location is Sunday, December 8. Our doors will be closed Monday, December 9, as we once again pack up and move. We will re-open our doors the week of January 6. While closed, patrons are invited to use other LINCC libraries. Holds for Milwaukie card holders will be suspended on December 1 unless other arrangements are made. The holds will become active again after January 6. If you have questions about the library move, closure or your account, please call 503.786.7580.



New Library Grand Opening

The new library will open the week of January 6. Then on Saturday, January 11, the Grand Opening will officially mark the opening of Milwaukie's new library. The celebration includes a ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. and activities throughout the library all day long. The new library will feature art celebrating Milwaukie's history, meeting spaces, a teen room with a Dark Horse Comics mural, and a large community room.

Dollar for Dollar

The Library's annual fine event is approaching fast. During the Dollar for Dollar week the library will match money paid toward fines from November 24 through December 1. Pay \$1.00 and we will match your \$1.00. There is no amount limit!

*Please note that this is for fines only, not money owed for lost or damaged materials.



Toy Drive

November 6-December 8 donations to the annual Food and Toy Drive will be accepted at the Pod Palace. December 9-23, donations will be accepted at City Hall lobby. The Milwaukie-Portland Elks Lodge #142 will once again partner with the Lions and the North Clackamas School District for the 2019 Holiday Food and Toy Basket distribution. Every year they distribute food and toy baskets to families in the Milwaukie and Clackamas areas.

Poetry Before and During the Move

With all the moving talk you might be wondering if there will be any library programs in the community. The answer is, yes! Between November and January, we have poetry taking place at St. John the Evangelist Church.

- Nov 2, Sat 10am-1pm – Annie Lighthart Poetry workshop on Rumi. The workshop is limited to the first 20 registrants. The fee for this workshop is \$35. Please contact Tom Hogan by e-mail at tomhogan2@comcast.net or at 503.819.8367 with your intent to register and any questions.
- Nov 6, Wed 6 – 7:30pm – Autumn Themed Poetry Open Mic. The theme for the November reading is Autumn, but that's just a suggestion. All poems are welcome!
- Nov 13, Wed 6:30 – 7:30 Don Colburn Reading. Colburn is a former reporter for *The Washington Post* and *The Oregonian* and has published 5 poetry collections.
- Dec 11, Wed 6:30-7:30 pm Judith Montgomery Reading. Her poems appear in *The Bellingham Review*, *Prairie Schooner*, and *Tahoma Literary Review*, among other journals, as well as in a number of anthologies. Her prize-winning narrative medicine chapbook, *Mercy*, appeared in March 2019
- Jan 8, Wed 6:30-7:30 pm Clemens Starck Reading. A Princeton dropout and former merchant seaman, he has supported his literary and intellectual interests for more than fifty years by working with his hands,
- Jan 11, Sat 2-4pm William Stafford Birthday Celebration. A celebration of the life and poetry of William Stafford.

Ledding Library of Milwaukie, 9600 SE Main St, Milwaukie, OR 97222 • 503.786.7580 • milwaukieoregon.gov/library

Library Hours: Mon - Thurs: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Fri - Sat: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. & Sun: 12 - 6 p.m.



Programs for Adults

NOVEMBER 2019

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DECEMBER 2019 - JANUARY 2020

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Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Fri & Sat: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Sun: 12 - 6 p.m.



For Children's Programs visit:

www.milwaukieoregon.gov/library

Every Thursday - Knit Nite - 6:30 - 7:45 p.m. Knitters and crocheters of all skill levels are welcome.

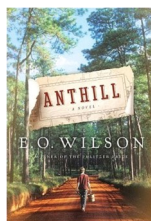


Nov 2 - Annie Lighthart Poetry Workshop - Rumi (Registration required) - 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. at St John the Evangelist. Email Tom Hogan to register at tomhogan2@comcast.net.

Nov 6 - Poetry Open Mic - 6 - 7:30 p.m. at St John the Evangelist. The open mic theme is autumn.

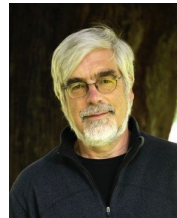


Nov 7 - Daylight Book Group - 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. This month the book group will discuss *Anthill* by E. O. Wilson.



Nov 11 - **Library Closed**

Nov 12 - Crafty Writers and Readers - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. A group of writers in SE PDX/Milwaukie who strive to develop their creative writing skills. For 2019 they are planning to publish an anthology of short stories. Visit their website to learn more about them <http://craftywriters.club/>.



Nov 13 - Don Colburn Poetry Reading - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at St. John the Evangelist Church, 2036 SE Jefferson St.

Nov 20 - Ledding Book Club - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. This month the group will discuss books written about women's suffrage.

Nov 23 - SCI Fantasy Book Club - 3:30 - 5 p.m. This month the group will discuss *Seeker* by Jack McDevitt. RSVP with Robert at 503.786.7546.



Nov 24 - Dec 1 - Dollar for Dollar fine event - all week.



Nov 27 - **Library closes at 6 p.m.**

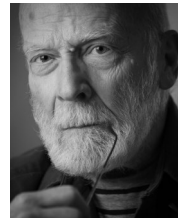
Nov 28 & 29 - **Library Closed**

Dec 5 - Daylight Book Group - 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. This month the book group will discuss *Spare Parts* by Joshua Davis.



Dec 9 - **Library Closed**
We're moving back! Stop by before the 9th to return books, pick up holds, check out items. After December 8, return/check out materials at another LINCC library.

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Jan 11 - Library Grand Opening! Ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. Activities throughout the library all day long.



Jan 11 - William Stafford Birthday Celebration 2 - 4 p.m. at St. John the Evangelist Church, 2036 SE Jefferson St.

Digital Book & Audiobooks

With your library card you can access digital books to read and listen to anywhere you may be, even vacationing in exotic locales. Download the apps Cloud Library or Libby/Overdrive, know your library card number and pin, then use Wifi or cellular data to browse and download up to 12 books between the two digital libraries for your reading and listening pleasure. Need assistance? Talk to a Reference Librarian at the desk or call 503.786.7546.



Did you know Amazon Smile and Fred Meyer donate to the Friends of the Ledding Library when you link your frequent shopper accounts to the Friends? Visit <http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov/library/friends-library> for more details.



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